

Editorial Comments.

Clark county wets have contested the dry victory.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels will speak in Elizabethtown next Thursday.

Gen. Sible, a French infantry commander, was killed by a bursting shell.

Justice Jas. C. McReynolds was sworn in yesterday as a member of the Supreme court.

The Clarksville fair was completely rained out and closed Thursday after two very light days.

Aunt Allie Bowine, one of the few surviving black mammas of the old South, died at Adams, Tenn., Sunday, aged 98 years.

Wesley Stanley was the principal speaker at a Democratic rally in Cincinnati Saturday night, at which the crowd was estimated at 10,000.

N. C. Day, a hotel man is under arrest at Louisa, Ky., charged with fatally shooting a Cossack with Kit Carson's Wild West Show in a dispute over a reserved seat.

The lifeless bodies of Steve Kastura and his 15-year-old wife, found at their home, in Louisville, led to an investigation which disclosed a suicide pact between the two.

A six-year-old child playing around a chemical vat at the Bourbon stockyards in Louisville fell in and died a few minutes later. The vat contained a poisonous cattle dip.

Fred Craggcraft, formerly of Clark county, Ky., who moved to Yellowstone, Mont., a year ago, is reported lost in the woods since Oct. 4 and little hope of finding him alive.

Representative Heflin, of Alabama, called Representative Mann, of Illinois, a liar in the course of debate on a woman's suffrage amendment to the Philippine Independence Bill.

The occupation of Vera Cruz is now being made self-sustaining and will be terminated until Carranza gives proper guarantees of protection to aliens and Mexicans, is the last from Washington.

Judging from his pictures in the papers, the new governor of Maine, O. C. Curtis, is a 33rd degree member of the Knights of the Shining Path. There is not enough hair on his head to spike a pound of butter.

Boston won the second baseball game Saturday. The third was played yesterday in Boston and the fourth is scheduled for to-day. Unless Philadelphia wins one of them, the series will be ended with Boston, the champion.

It is said that Germany's next real move will be not against Paris, but the English channel ports, using Antwerp as a basis. If they can once break through the lines, a part of the plan is to lay waste the northern part of France.

One of the light blue German aeroplanes which have been nicknamed the "still doves" approached Paris between 8 and 9 a.m. Friday. It was sighted by a French war sentinel, who gave chase. The German airship disappeared to the north.

Col. Henry Watterson, is expected soon to call on President Wilson at the White House. It was in commenting on the visit of Col. George Harvey, formerly his enemy, that the president said that he hoped soon to once more enjoy the friendship of the Kentucky colonel. The breach between Col. Harvey, Col. Watterson and the president dates from the early days of Mr. Wilson's presidential campaign. It came after the president announced to Col. Harvey at a gathering at the Manhattan club that he was convinced that he would be far better off without the support of Harper's Weekly, of which Col. Harvey at that time was the editor. It was through his friendship for Col. Harvey that Col. Watterson withdrew his support of the

GENUINE CASE REPORTED

Negro Man Afflicted With Trypanosomia or Sleep Disease.

VERY RARE MALADY. Apparently In Good Health But Can't Stay Awake.

Chas. Ferguson, otherwise known as "Hop," is suffering with a rare sleeping disease, at his home on the corner of Fourth and Mechanic streets. His physician diagnoses the disease as trypanosomia, and he has been suffering from the malady for some time. At first he would become drowsy while at work to such an extent that it interfered with his work and finally his drowsiness became chronic and he sleeps practically all of the time. He can be roused by shaking, but as soon as left alone goes to sleep again. He can walk about the room, but if he stops walking at once he goes to sleep on his feet. His temperature and pulse are normal and he does not appear to be ill, aside from his sleepiness. Several physicians of the city have been to see him and are observing the case closely. It is the only one ever reported here, at least in recent years.

Ferguson is about 45 years of age and has a family.

NAME GIVEN AS ZUBER ORGAN

The Second Suspect In Renshaw Case Taken To Bowling Green.

Fearing mob violence to Zuber Organ at Hopkinsville, Judge J. T. Hanberry, of Christian county, last night issued an order to the sheriff of that county to remove the prisoner to the Warren county jail for safe keeping. In accordance with this order Organ was brought to Bowling Green at an early hour this morning and placed behind the bars by Deputy Sheriff Johnson, of Hopkinsville.

Organ was arrested Saturday night on suspicion of having recently assassinated former Sheriff Renshaw, of Christian county, who was shot from ambush while he was riding along a public thoroughfare. The affair created great excitement and indignation, as the victim was a most popular man.

Organ is a negro eighteen years of age. When seen at the jail Friday morning he appeared in a sullen mood and was non-communicative. He refused to say anything about the crime of which he is suspected. —Bowling Green News.

TUBERCULOSIS

Causes Death of Farmer After Long Illness.

Frank D. Hancock, a farmer who resided about two miles northeast of the city, died last Friday, after an illness of eighteen months of tuberculosis. He was 68 years old and a native of Muhlenberg county, but moved to Christian about three or four years ago. Mr. Hancock was a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. His wife and five children survive. His funeral services were conducted at his late residence Saturday morning by Rev. J. B. Eshman and the interment took place in Riverside Cemetery.

Death In New Form.

Three persons were killed and fourteen injured when a twenty-ton boulder, falling from a precipice, crashed into the day coach and smoker of a Denver & Rio Grande

POSITIONS HELD BY ALLIED ARMIES

Attempt By German Cavalry to Envelop French Left Wing Fails, According to Statement By Paris War Office.

OTHER ATTACKS ALSO ARE REPULSED.

Refugees From Antwerp Are Crowding Holland And Two Thousand and Soldiers Have Been Interned--Refugees Invited To Return.

London, Oct. 12.—With the conclusion of that phase of the war of the nations which came with the fall of Antwerp, the censorship again has drawn a veil over the fighting in the greater part of the European continent.

The French communication deals with the series of battles which has been in progress for four weeks from east to west in France with an ever extending line which now reaches northward from the elbow at Noyon to and across the Belgian border at Armentieres.

The statement says that the allies have held their positions everywhere and that German cavalry which was attempting to envelop the allies' left wing had seized points of passage on the Lys, east of Aire, was defeated Saturday and retired north east into the Armentieres district.

Two German aeroplanes, which seem to choose Sundays for their visits, flew over the French capital Sunday. They dropped a score of bombs, which killed three persons and wounded twenty, but did no material damage.

Part of the Antwerp garrison and 2,000 of the British naval volunteers, who crossed into Holland and laid down their arms, have been interned and will have to remain there until the end of the war. Some of the Germans also unwillingly crossed the frontier and were treated similarly.

Of refugees there appear to be no end. The Dutch towns are crowded with people who left their homes in Belgium. Hollanders are finding difficulty in providing for them. The Germans, however, have invited the refugees to return to their own country, promising them fair treatment.

England also continues to be a place of refuge for many fugitives, wounded officers and men, who are crossing from Ostend on the regular steamers.

In Antwerp everything is quiet after days of turmoil. The Germans, who arranged with the burgomaster for the surrender of the town, all the military authorities having left, have issued a warning to the people that any disturbances or attacks on Germans will be severely dealt with. So far as can be ascertained the damage done to Antwerp by the bombardment was not so serious as at first feared. The cathedral, art gallery, museum and other public buildings are in the northwest part of the city along the Scheldt where the shells did not fall. The Germans used lighter guns after they had battered down the forts with heavy guns, and naturally the former did not do so much execution.

SUNDAY'S WAR NEWS.

Belgium.

Antwerp and the forts surrounding the city, after having been subjected to violent bombardment for ten days, are now in complete possession of the Germans, but the greater part of the Belgian army has escaped. The fall of the most powerful fortress in the world is evidence, says military experts, that forts are no match for the colossal howitzers which the invaders have successfully employed against every fortified place that stood in their way. The Germans entered the town through the suburb of Berchem. The official admission was made that British troops aided in the defense of Antwerp. The death roll in the ranks of both the defenders and the invaders is said to be very

NEW CARON DIRECTORY

Is Being Delivered to Subscribers In The City This Week.

IMPROVED OVER FORMER ONE

Interesting Facts Taken From The Prospectus--Book Sold For \$3.

The agent of the Caron Directory Co., of Louisville, has arrived here and will begin the distribution to subscribers of the third volume of this Company's Directory. The book has a neat appearance with an improved cloth bound cover and the back bone embossed buckram. The typographical work is of the very best.

As usual it has four directories bound in one volume—namely, the City Government and city and county record of all public institutions and other matters; then the general or alphabetical list of all the grown inhabitants; next the street guide of householders and those engaged in business, and last the classified list of all professions, manufacturers, trades and pursuits in the city.

The Caron Directory in its introductory says:

We take pleasure in placing before the public our third volume of the Hopkinsville City Directory.

The population of Hopkinsville, according to the census taken by our canvassers, is as follows:

White	6,271
Colored	4,365

Total 10,636

This is an increase of 490 over the census of 1912 taken by our firm.

Hopkinsville has made wonderful strides in the way of public improvements since our last issue.

There are at present several handsome business houses under construction, which will mean an expenditure of \$100,000.

It is contemplated that in the near future, a modern theatre will be constructed. Also a new public school building.

Recently over a mile of bitulithic streets has been constructed, and during the next year it is estimated that several miles of street will be built either of bitulithic, brick or wooden blocks.

There has been established the John C. Latham Memorial Parks, known as Virginia Park and Peace Park. These parks are in the heart of the city, and are along the first lines of a "City Beautiful."

Dr. E. S. Stuart has recently, as a memorial to his wife, built a modern hospital (known as the Jessie Stuart Memorial Hospital), at a cost of \$60,000. This building is complete in every respect and a credit to a city of many times the population of Hopkinsville.

The Government is at work and will have completed by January 1, 1915, a handsome Government building, which will be used as a post office. This building is of Bowling Green stone, and is modern in every respect, and it represents an expenditure of \$125,000.

There will be opened about October 1st, of this year, a Carnegie Public Library, which is beautifully located on Liberty and Eighth, the approximate cost being \$15,000.

The Mogul Wagon Works Company has recently enlarged their plant at an expense of about \$15,000.

The Pennyroyal building, which is now under construction, will be an up-to-date and modern apartment house. The excellent location and the modern conveniences will make this an ideal home in which to live. The cost of this building is \$60,000.

As a loose leaf tobacco market, Hopkinsville leads the world. Over the loose leaf floors during the year of 1913-14 31,000,000 pounds of tobacco was handled. The average price paid per pound was 8 cents.

As an agriculture center Hopkinsville and Christian

CONVENTION ADJOURNS

Meeting of Kentucky Universalists at Consolation Church Closed Sunday.

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED. Rain interferes with business, but 700 people heard Sunday sermon.

The Kentucky Universalist Convention held at Consolation church practically closed its business session Saturday afternoon. Rev. Elton Wilson, of Canon, Ga., editor of the Universalist Herald, preached a splendid sermon Sunday.

The crowd on Sunday was to be about seven hundred. The sermon was served on the grass all were well cared for.

A memorial service was held at 10 a.m. in the church members of the church passed away during the year. This was followed by the pastoral service. The rain interfered materially with the services on Friday and Saturday business in the beautiful church made that a great day for the universalists of Kentucky.

Officers were elected as follows: President, P. L. Franklin, Clark Madison, secretary; Charles M. Johnson, treasurer; Mrs. C. A. Crofton, trustee for three years.

STITES HOMESTEAD

Bought of C. R. Bouldin By Nick Lacy, of North Christian.

Mr. C. R. Bouldin has sold his suburban house on North Main street, just beyond the city limits, to Nick Lacy, who recently moved to town from the Bluff Springs district. The place is the old Stites homestead and is a fine old mansion of many rooms, back from the road in a lawn set in trees and surrounded by five acres of ground. The price is private.

The farmers raised 1,500,000 bushels of wheat. This is about one-tenth of the total wheat crop of Kentucky. Tobacco, wheat, corn, barley, oats and alfalfa are among the chief products grown in this county.

A new creamery recently has been established at a cost of \$30,000.

The Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane, which is located just outside the city limits, has recently spent \$40,000 on improvements.

There has been built during the past two years about seventy-five residences, at a cost of from \$2,000 to \$25,000 each. There is under construction at present over thirty residences, and plans are being drawn for several other handsome homes.

The Hopkinsville Business Men's Association is now a permanent organization. Through their efforts of the past two years they have accomplished wonders in this community. They are at present promoting a street car and interurban line, which promises to become a reality.

Of an original issue of about \$115,000 bonded R. R. indebtedness the city has in the past six years eliminated this amount.

The value of property, real and personal, in Hopkinsville in 1912, was \$5,600,000. In 1914 it was \$6,400,000, showing an increase of \$800,000.

The postoffice receipts to June 31, 1914, were \$29,484.22, an increase of \$3,075.54 over 1913.

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TUESDAY OCTOBER 13

Democratic Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS.
David H. Kincheloe.FOR SENATOR.
(Long Term.)
J. C. W. Beckham.FOR SENATOR.
(Short Term.)
JOHNSON N. CAMDEN.Democratic prospects in Tennessee
seem to be improving every day.Secretary of State Bryan will make
several speeches in Tennessee this
week. He will be at Nashville Friday.After all, the dear ones are to help
pay the war taxes. The revised bill
pays a tax on chewing gum and perfume.An American writing from London,
describes it as "the large city
it has ever been my pleasure to visit."
We take it he is just beginning
his journey.—Banner.According to reports received at
the vatican more than 63,000 ecclesiastics
are now serving in different
capacities with the armies in the field,
especially with the Belgian, French
and Austrian forces. Most of these
clergymen are engaged in hospital
work. They include seven bishops
and nineteen other prelates.Belgian refugees are fleeing into
Holland at the rate of 5,000 a day.
Holland is prepared to resist a violation
of her neutrality by the Germans.
An army of 450,000 Dutch
troops is mobilized along the frontier
and reservists are steadily returning
to Holland from the United States,
1,500 already having left New York.Business conditions throughout the
country are improving, according to
reports reaching President Wilson,
and democratic speakers are to be
instructed to dwell on this fact during
the fall campaign in answer to the
expected charges by republicans and
progressives that the new tariff
has brought financial disaster. The
President is informed that many orders
for American goods are being
received from abroad and that the
first bad effects of the European war
on American industry have passed.There was no excuse for England
to leave Belgium to fight its own
battles and the brave little army to
be driven from city to city by an
overwhelming force of Germans,
without at least some outside help.England's tardiness in putting arms
into action is sure to prolong the
war and there is a suspicion that she
does not want peace to come too
soon. If Germany and France exhaust
their resources and England
discreetly conserves hers, when
peace finally comes her superiority
will be manifest in the work of
rehabilitation. England's failure to
help the brave little Belgians defend
their last fortified city would be
almost criminal if it were not so
pathetic. Up to now the Belgians, in
no way concerned in the war, have
borne the brunt of the conflict and
their country has been overrun and
impoverished. It is less than 50
miles from England to Belgium and
yet England with 1,000,000 men at
her disposal has sent none to aid her
heroic little ally. The fall of
Antwerp will release another German
army of 100,000 men to be sent as
re-inforcements to Von Kluck. The
failure to aid the Belgians is either a
show of weakness or a display of
indifference to the fate of a helpless
nation about to disappear temporarily.

QUEER OLD TAXES

Beards, Windows and Hats Had
to Pay Tribute.Needy Kings in Ancient Times Were
Very Unorthodox in Their Methods
of Raising Money—Solicited Like Beggars.In early times it was common for
needy kings to raise money by very
unorthodox methods in England. Edward
I was accustomed to help himself
to anything of value, and Edward
III had a disturbing habit of imposing
taxes without the consent of parliament.Edward IV solicited money "like a
common, or rather a sturdy, beggar."Richard II imposed a poll tax which
affected both males and females from
sixteen years upward. An earl had to
pay four pounds, as also had the mayor
of London, while a married man had
to pay fourpence for himself and his
wife and a single woman had to pay
just as much. No wonder, remarks
the New York Press, this tax led to
Wat Tyler's rebellion.Charles I was a keen man for money
and he set parliament at defiance. One
of his most remarkable proclamations
ordered the nobility and gentry to re-
tire to their country seats and cease
idle time in London, under
penalty of a heavy fine.We grumble nowadays at the taxes
imposed by the various budgets, but
we are freed of the freak taxes that
burdened our forefathers.Beards were taxed at one time and
Henry VIII, who wore one himself free
of charge, graded the tax according to
the status of the wearer. The arch-
bishop of Canterbury had to pay three
shillings fourpence for his face fund-
us, and this was the amount fixed by
Elizabeth on every beard of over a
fortnight's growth.The most odious tax ever intro-
duced was that of the birth tax, which
came into operation in 1695. This tax
ranging from £30 on the birth of a
child to a duke to two shillings for a
workingman's child. Taxes were also
imposed on burials and marriages.William Pitt the younger, who was
the most juvenile premier and chancellor
of the exchequer Britain ever had,
came into office at the age of twenty-
four, and as he found the public
finances in a desperate state, he insti-
tuted some weird taxes. He placed a
tax on windows and a tax on horses.
In defiance of the latter tax and by
way of drawing ridicule upon it, a man
named Jonathan Thatcher rode his
cow to and from the Stockport market.So recently as 1869 there was a tax
in England on hair powder, which was
first instituted in 1795. It cost a guinea
a year for a license to display pow-
dered hair, though a strutting parent
with more than two unmarried daughters
could obtain a double license for
two guineas, which allowed all the
members of the family to powder their
puffs.This tax was not so stupid as the
hat tax, which was introduced in the
reign of George III, when money was
badly required to fight the French. For
a year there was a tax on watches and
clocks, and women will be interested
to learn that from 1695 to 1706 there
was a tax on bachelors.Every unwed man over twenty-
five had to pay into the treasury a
shilling a year, though in the case of a
gentleman this amount was in-
creased to five shillings, and in the
case of a duke £12.10.This tax brought in about one thou-
sand pounds a week and induced many
men to venture into matrimony.

WISE WALL STREET BROKER

He Made His Manager His Partner
With the Object of Cutting
Down His Losses.

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Law Point Settled.

The court of appeals of New York in

Severance, as commissioner of charities

of Binghamton vs. Macomber, holds

that when the houndsman for one held

as a disorderly person for failing to

support his family is sued, it is not

necessary for the plaintiff to prove

that the family had become a public

charge. The court said that the judg-

ment of conviction and the bond ex-

ecuted by the defendant were founded

on the man's ability to support his

wife, and the judgment necessarily es-

tablished that he was liable and able

to support her at the time the judg-

ment was rendered.

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Grease the Cords.

To prevent window blind cords

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them over with a well-greased rag.

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which impoverishes the cords, and

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She Was Smothering.

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right side, and smothering spells. I
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Chief, Makes Plea That It Be Kept
Honored by All as American
National Anthem.Detroit.—A plea for the perpetua-
tion of "The Star-Spangled Banner" as
the American anthem, without alloy,
was made fervently by Washington
Gardner, commander-in-chief of the
Grand Army of the Republic, in his
address before the forty-eighth national
encampment of that organization here.He urged the old soldiers to join in
a movement to pay special honor to
this song, and to disown the practice
of playing it in medley with such
"flippant and comparatively
meaningless ditties" as "Yankee
Doodle" and "When Johnnie Comes
Marching Home."He said there was something in-
spiring in an audience rising and
standing uncovered at the majestic
strains of the national anthem, but it
was "incongruous, bordering even on
the ludicrous," for the band to strike
up some other national air in medley
with this, and to observe the audience
resume sitting in "an irregular, half-
ashamed manner." It were better not
to rise at all when the national hymn
is played in medley, he said.A recommendation that permanent
headquarters for the G. A. R. be estab-
lished in Washington was another
point of his address. Chicago and
Philadelphia had been proposed, but
he preferred the national capital, and
thought that if possible the necessary
space should be secured in a govern-
ment building where the officers could
keep closely in touch with matters be-
fore congress which affected the
Grand army.A standing committee of seven per-
sons, with the commander-in-chief and
adjutant general of the G. A. R. as ex-
officio members, he also recommended
principally for the purpose of taking
charge of all legislation which had the
endorsement of the order. He said
that such a committee would "concen-
trate responsibility, reduce expense
and give promise of better results."The present membership, in good
standing, was reported as 171,335.
During the year the roll was curtailed
by the death of 11,157 old soldiers,
but notwithstanding this large figure,
it is 151 less than died during the
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The meanest man in the world broke into Herman J. Boecklin's house, in Kent, Westchester county, N. Y. He stole two watches, diamond ring, silverware, brie-a-brac, and \$18 which he found under a mattress. He also took the family revolver. But to show what he was capable of he proceeded as follows: He took a piece of soap and greased fourteen-month-old Helen Boecklin's finger, slipping off her little gold ring. He cut a gold chain and locket from her neck. He smashed her toy bank and took \$4.63. Lest Helen should cry, he took her out of her crib while he stole her jewelry. Then he went away, leaving her on the floor. Her cries brought neighbors, who discovered the burglary.

For regular action of the bow's; easy, natural movements, relief of constipation, try Dean's Regul'ts, 25c at all stores.

Advertisement.

Your Fall Cold

Needs Attention

No use to fuss and try to wear it out. It will wear you instead. Take Dr. King's New Discovery, relief follows quickly. It checks your Cold and Soothes your Cough away. Pleasant, Antiseptic and Healing. Children like it. Get a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and keep it in the house. "Our family Cough and Cold Doctor" writes Lewis Chamberlain, Manchester, Ohio. Money back if not satisfied, but it nearly always helps.

Advertisement.

Evidently He Wouldn't.

Mrs.—"I read here where a South Sea Island wife isn't supposed to talk until her husband speaks first." Mr.—"And I'll bet some of those fool husbands do it."—Boston Globe.

"The Days That Are No More."

The power of first love has received much poetic attention that we can afford to smile at the serio-comic twist that John P., an ancient Rhode Island worthy, once gave it. The old gentleman's habits and manners were as primitive as the time at which he lived. John P. married twice. On his second wedding journey, he visited a business acquaintance in a Massachusetts town. On his arrival, he presented his bride in this graceful way: "This," said he, is Mis' P. Tain't 'other Mis' P. I wish 'twas."—Your Companion.

For Clergymen Only.

Ministers would meet with more success if they knew as much about this world as they think they know about the next.—Lippincott's.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Keep Your Stomach and Liver Healthy.

A vigorous Stomach, perfect working Liver and regular acting Bowels is guaranteed if you will use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They insure good Digestion, correct Constipation and have an excellent tonic effect on the whole system—Purify your blood and rid you of all body poisons through the Bowels. Only 25c at your Druggist.

Advertisement.

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from this and other states. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Send by druggists.

Advertisement.

Limit of Hopfulness.
And some people count their chickens before the eggs are laid.

A LITTLE WITCH THAT LOOKS LIKE ME.

(„Der Hexen Spiegel“)

A Lovely German Song. As Sung by The Celebrated Ester, of

THE MIDNIGHT'S SONS CO.

SARAH M. B. PLATT

JAQUES MENDELSON

Allegro.

My mother says I must not pass Too
Die Mutter sagt 'Nun merk' dir das, Guck'

near the glass; She is afraid that I will see, A lit-te witch that looks like
nicht in's Glas! Sie fürch-tet sich ich könnt'dort sehn' Ne kiel-ne He-xe vor mir

With a red, red mouth to whis-per low The ver-y thing I should not
me, steh'n Ma' nem ro-ten Mund und ruf't mir zu Ein Wort und hin ist mei-ne

mf

dim. e poco rit.

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colla voce.

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f a tempo.

know! Ruh! 'A - lack' for all your moth-er's care! A bird of the air, Ein Vögel chen sucht, Ein

Wit-ful wind, or (I sup - pose Win - des - hauch, ge - sandt wohl auch Sent by some hap - less boy) a rose, Vom D - sen Knab' ein Blu - men - strauch - With Mit

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breath too sweet, will whis - per low The ver-y thing you should not know! Duft so süß - er ruf't dir zu Ein Wort und hin ist del - ne Ruh!

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A Little Witch That Looks Like Me.

DARING BALKANS CIRCUS FEATURE

Marvelous Riders From the Far East Appearing in America for First Time.

MEN FOUGHT BALKAN BATTLES

When the Balkan states were in arms against Turkey and the newspapers throughout the world were devoting many columns of space to the battles being fought in the Orient, it was frequently commented upon in America that the inhabitants of the Balkan states, and their habits and characteristics, were comparatively unknown to the world at large. In fact Americans today know less about the rugged mountaineers of the Orient than they do about any other foreign race.

On Wednesday, Oct. 21, this city is to be visited by a number of these interesting Orientals, some of whom were actual participants in the recent warfare. These visitors form one of the novel features of Ringling Brothers' circus. There are four men and three women in the troupe and this is their first appearance before the public. They left their home in the Balkan mountains during the latter part of the winter to come to America to fulfill their contract with the Ringling Brothers, and this is also their first visit outside of their native land.

The Balkan troupe was discovered by Albert Hodgini, a famous European horse trainer, who visited the Balkans during the past winter to purchase blooded steeds for the Ringling Brothers' circus.

The riding feats of this troupe are as daring as they are picturesque, most of them having never before been attempted in a circus ring. Dangerous vaulting, double somersaulting, and pirouetting feats are performed by these men and women with an ease and grace that has astounded the best riders in the circus world. The act is richly costumed and the performance is accompanied with Oriental music. Another notable feature of the circus program is the massive new spectacle, Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, will be presented here with a cast of 1,250 characters and a ballet of 300 girls.—Advertisement.

Unusual Offer To Our Readers.

For a limited time, and subject to withdrawal after 30 days, the well known publishing house of the J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, founded in 1792, offers to the readers of this paper a 12 months' subscription to "Lippincott's Magazine" and a year's subscription to the Kentuckian, both for \$3.00. This is the price of a twelve months' subscription to "Lippincott's" alone. Additional to obtaining every issue of this paper for a year, our readers will receive "Lippincott's," 12 great complete novels by popular authors, 105 short stories, crisp, entertaining, original 45 timely articles from the pens of masters, and each month some excellent poems with the right sentiment, and "Walnuts and Wine," the most popular humor section in America. To obtain this extraordinary offer prompt action is necessary, remit to J. B. Lippincott Company, Washington Square, Phila., Pa. Advertisement.

Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pleasant Johnson announce the engagement of their daughter

Naomi

to Mr. Robert Edward Butler, Princeton, Ky.

The wedding will take place early in November.

How Rats Cause Fires.

The most common way in which rats cause fires, says Safety Engineering, is by gnawing away the insulating covering from wires used in electric lighting, where the wires pass under floors or inside of partitions. The insulating materials are used for nests, which rats build of combustibles in contact with naked wires.

Dr. Kasey's Salary.

At a meeting of the District Board of Stewards held here Wednesday the salary of Presiding Elder Kasey was fixed at one-seventh of the preachers' salaries, of the district, the same as last year. This amounts to a little over \$2,000 annually.—Elizabethtown News.

SKELETON-CLAW BOB

To His Sorrow Burglar Thought
He Was Dealing With an
Amateur Detective.

By EDGAR WHITE.

Before I had been working a month in the Chinese colonies I became aware of an amusing situation. My "boy," Dan Hughes, the young man who helped me drill holes and load coal, began eyeing me covertly and seemed to be taking my measure. I laughed and made light of it, but it was not long till I was on to what was ailing him.

I slipped into his room at the boarding house one night without taking too trouble to knock. He was undoubtedly startled, as he hastily began gathering up some papers and things, which he crowded into the drawer of the little table beside him. Quick as had been his movement, I was enabled to see the heading of one of the papers, "American Detective Journal," and when the boy observed that I had noticed it he blushed like a girl and hung his head. After that it didn't require a very discerning mind to guess that Dan had fallen a victim to the widely circulated advertisement of "Detectives wanted in every locality; send five dollars for description of parties wanted in your locality, for whom big rewards are offered, and complete outfit, including start, credentials, system of identification, etc. Write at once to Nick Carter Agency."

It wasn't very polite, but I couldn't help laughing uproariously, which made Dan's embarrassment all the greater. After awhile he decided to make a clean breast of it, but pledged me on my solemn word of honor not to tell what an easy fish he had been. He showed me his great tin star, bearing in prominent letters the legend: "Special Detective Officer, North American Private Police Association;" a slung shot, a bright-looking but unserviceable revolver, a fierce set of false whiskers, brass knuckles and a dark lantern.

And this callow youth expected to trap professional burglars and high-waymen with a outfit like that!

As he went on showing the ludicrous things he became more confidential and finally pulled out his detective journal and pointed to the picture of a man who was wanted in Montreal for unloading a jewelry safe of something like \$10,000 worth of diamonds and trinkets. Felix Canover, alias "Skeleton-Claw Bob," was given the honor of a dark suspicion, but the advertisement candidly admitted the authorities were in doubt.

"And at first I was fool enough to think it was you, Jack," the doped boy said, in apologetic tones; "I don't know why, unless it was because your fingers are long and slender like a woman's."

I smiled at the compliment and patted him friendly on the shoulder.

"My boy," I said, "even if you did locate Felix, of 'Skeleton-Claw Bob,' they picturesquely describe him, it wouldn't be worth cent to you. They only have a suspicion that he's the man; you would have to prove he did the job to get your reward, which, I fancy, would be somewhat difficult, because, if he had sense enough to break into that safe, he would know too much to carry incriminating evidence about with him."

Dan mournfully admitted the truth of the observation, and then suddenly rising, he grabbed up his detective papers and paraphernalia, and before I could stay him, thrust the whole mass into the stove.

"That ends my career as a detective," he said, decidedly; "please don't tell the boys, Jack."

Of course I promised and we lighted our pipes and sat down to a game of "California Jack."

After the little episode Dan seemed to trust me more than ever, and we became even better chums than before.

Dan was very much enamored of the blonde young woman who served us at meal time, and was her dutiful cavalier whenever she wanted to go anywhere after the dishes were washed. One evening in the early summer I involuntarily heard a conversation between her and Dan on the veranda. Dan seemed to be begging her to make a date with him to the theater the next evening, when this came to my startled ears:

"You know I would go, Dannie," she said in gentle tones, "but I have promised Mr. Richards."

As Richards was no one but myself, you can't blame me for being a little interested. And I hadn't spoken a word to the girl! But now common gallantry would force me to do something. I walked over to the glass, stroked my mustache a little and smoothed my hair.

"All right, Katie," the boy was saying, "if it's old Jack, I don't care, but I'd hate to be thrown down for anyone else."

I heard Dan's footsteps as he moved out of the yard on the way to town, and surmised that Katie must be alone. The girl looked charming out there in the moonlight, with the silver rays glinting on her fluffy golden hair and lighting up her smooth, white face. She was a little startled at first, but I fancied she was not displeased at my presence. Diplomatically I led up to the subject of the approaching entertainment, and diplomatically accepted my company.

"Thank you very much, Mr. Richards," she said, almost in a whisper. "I'll see you tomorrow night."

With that she was gone, and I walked on air the balance of the night. Now and then Dan's pitiful, pale face seemed to look reproachfully down from the walls, but it was soon displaced by a brighter one haloed in misty golden hair, and from between two coral lips came sweeter tones than ever mounted aloft from cathedral bell:

"Thank you very much, Mr. Richards."

Resolving on a pleasant surprise for my company, I met her in the corridor the next evening as she was about to ascend to her room, preparatory to fixing up for the entertainment.

"Miss Katie," I said, "I have a little star that was bequeathed to me from my aunt's estate. If you like it, it would please me to have you wear it tonight."

She clapped her small white hands in ecstasy and the blue eyes sparkled. I suggested that she accompany me to the room and see it. She colored slightly and hesitated.

"You will only be in a moment," I urged; "the door will be left open."

With evident reluctance, which caused me to admire her all the more, she followed me. Not only the diamond star, but a dozen or so other exquisite pieces were displayed in a velvet lined box before her astonished eyes.

"What a wealthy woman your aunt must have been," she murmured, as she stood before the treasure with clasped hands.

"You may take your choice—" I was saying, when the door was flung open, and Dan was in the middle of the room, with a brace of revolvers pointed at my head, beside himself with jealous rage. I knew a little about firearms, and it didn't take long to note the guns he had were an entirely different make from the one he sheepishly showed me a few nights back. I instinctively moved my right hand behind me when he said:

"Hands up, Bob! Maggie, put the jewelry on him."

Before I could say "Jack Robinson," the angel who was to accompany me to the theater had caught the nipples and fastened them securely to my wrists. I sat down to think it over. Katie—Maggie, as Dan called her—began gathering up the jewelry, and then fished around for more.

"There's enough here to fix him all right, Andy," she said, complacently; "the firm's mark's on every piece, too."

I looked curiously at the smooth-faced lad who was engineering the proceedings. For the first time I noted an expression in his face that seemed strange. The dark eyes gleamed with excitement, though the features were calm enough. As I studied them I observed faint lines here and there that did not belong to unsophisticated youth. I ran through my mind the multitude of police officials whom I knew personally or by reputation in this country, but could not place him.

"Dannie," I said, weakly, "would you please introduce yourself to me?"

"Certainly, Robert," he returned. "I'm Andy Beauchamp of the Canadian secret service. This lady is Mrs. Beauchamp. My dear, let me introduce you to Mr. Felix Canover, alias 'Skeleton-Claw Bob.' If there's anything else you want to know, Bob, don't be timid about asking."

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BUILDER HAS HIS TROUBLES

Innumerable Complications When the Work of Constructing Chinese Dwelling Is Begun.

When a Chinaman would build a house, he consults a wizard instead of an architect. He decides the spot for the front door—for that must face exactly in the right direction—never towards the south, unless it is the house of an emperor or high official. The wizard also determines the exact size of the door, for an inch out of the way might prove fatal. There must be a screen three yards in front of the door to keep out the evil breath—no human breath, made by tobacco or liquor, or malarial vapors, but some mysterious and fatal something that no one knows much about.

Then the wizard locates the spot for the kitchen and he settles the time to begin digging, for if the earth god should be at home the workman might thrust the spade through his skull, and the family would all die.

The question must also be settled whether this is the right year to build. "There are lucky years and there are unlucky years. For instance, a man must not marry in any year beginning with an unlucky number. Having picked out a lucky year, the next thing to do is to hit upon the lucky month of the year, and then the lucky day in the month. Lucky days are yellow and unlucky days are black. There are more black days than yellow ones; so the case of the Chinese builder is not all pleasure and ease."

What She'd Like.

"I don't believe in marriage for money."

"No."

"No. But I can't help thinking how nice it would be to happen to fall in love with a man who also happened to have a million or two."—Detroit Free Press.

Ask a Policeman.

"Pa, does money talk?"

"Yes, dear."

"All money?"

"Yes, Bobbie."

"Then how can any one get a quiet up?"—Judge.

TWO PATIENTS

At Western State Hospital
Pass Away.

Mrs. Eugenia Greer, a Warren county patient at the Western State Hospital, died Friday of angina pectoris. She was a widow, aged 45 years, and had been in the institution about a month. The remains were shipped to Glasgow.

M. M. Dougherty, a patient from Butler county, aged 72 years, died of paresis. He was received here about seven months ago. Interment in the hospital burying ground.

PEACE HERO PASSES AWAY

Bishop Tucker, After Remarkable Service in Uganda, Is Gathered to His Fathers.

Another great name, worthy to stand with those of Hannington, Pilkington and Mackay, has been added to the roll of the heroes of Uganda, in the death of Bishop Tucker, who went out in 1890 as bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa. That vast territory has since been divided into three dioceses, of which Uganda is one. Artist and athlete before he decided to enter the church, he brought an unusual combination of qualities to his chosen lifework, and when, after several years of service in the home church, he offered himself for the foreign work he was recognized as a man of exceptional power. After 21 years of effective service he was retired for reasons of health in 1911, and since that time has been one of the canons of Durham (England) cathedral. One of the most dramatic episodes in his missionary career occurred in 1892, when Bishop Tucker had the bones of the martyr Bishop Hannington exhumed and given Christian burial outside the great thatched church of St. Paul on Nambembe hill, Uganda, and the slayer of Bishop Hannington, King M'wanga, was present as a member of the Christian congregation.

ELECTRICITY TO FIGHT FLIES

Successful Way Found to Destroy Pests That Attack and Ruin Rose Trees.

The latest application of electricity, according to Popular Electricity and Modern Mechanics, is that of killing the green fly by means of an electric spark. We read in this magazine:

"This fly is a species found on rose trees and is exceedingly disastrous to the flowers. Heretofore considerable difficulty has been experienced in ridding rose trees of these pests, but the electrical method recently devised is proving both practical and efficient. Briefly, the fly-killing apparatus consists of a small spark coil, spark gap, high-frequency transformer, switches and other accessories. A flexible conductor conveys the current from the high-frequency transformer to a brass-ball electrode fitted with an insulating handle so that it may be held without danger of shock. To use the apparatus the electrode is brought near the flies on the rose bushes. A spark then jumps from the electrode to the tree and kills the flies, the current passing through the tree to the ground without damage to the leaves or flowers."

He Reached His Limit.

The delightful southern gentleman of the old school, under whose insinuating tones and gracious bows the social barometer rose to summer heat, was not without his little prejudices when it came to outside barbarians. "I'll give you my notion of things," repeatedly declared a sturdy old plant of Civil war time who bestowed much of his wisdom on a contributor to Harper's Magazine. "I go first for Greenville, then for Greenville district, then for the upcountry, then for South Carolina, then for the South, then for the United States—and after that I don't go for anything. I've no use for Englishmen, Turks and Chinese."

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Make my store your stopping place, long back room for your convenience.

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Main Street. Hopkinsville, Ky.

Soon to Be Tried.

Secretary of State, C. F. Crecilius, will shortly be tried for obtaining money from the State Treasury by false pretenses. It is charged he represented to Auditor Bosworth that he had employed help at \$100 per month and procured warrants for that amount, when he was only paying \$25, and that thereby he obtained \$75 and converted it to his own use for three months in succession.

The following from the Elizabethtown News indicates what the defense will be:

"If later information received from apparently reliable sources is to be relied upon Dr. Crecilius has not taken a cent of the State's money. He was entitled to \$1,200 a year or \$100 per month for stenographic work in his office. He paid this money out, according to our information, but paid it to two parties instead of one as the payroll shows. The lady who only drew \$25 of the amount and was on the payroll for \$100 per month was not prepared to do the work and another person was hired to do the work and to teach her and until she was taught did most of the work and received the \$75 per month. There is nothing criminally wrong about this, if the statement is true. The incompetent person was given the place under a promise of Crecilius. The matter was done in a bungling way and indicates rather a lack of ability than a lack of integrity on the part of the Secretary of State. It looks like some politics is being played at Frankfort and that the Grand Jury is not free from the suspicion that it was innocently made a party to it."

VICK'S Croup and SALVE FOR ALL COLD TROUBLES

Value or Quotations.

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OUR attention is respectfully called to an important point not generally known, that a laxative should have a tonic element to successfully meet constipation.

Mr. John B. Capers, of 610 Pecan St., Fort Worth, Texas, had a significant experience in this particular. He was afflicted with a severe case of constipation and bowel trouble. He spent a good deal of money in trying to find a remedy. To his astonishment Peruna very quickly relieved him of his bad symptoms. This happened a number of years ago. Since then, Mr. Capers states that he has had similar attacks of trouble, the prominent symptom of which is constipation, and has always found prompt and efficient relief from Peruna. He says: "Up to the time I started using your Peruna I could drink castor oil like water. It did no good. As for salts, they were of no use. Physics of all kinds and classes were used, but we had to call on the fountain syringe for help." Peruna was able to correct this condition completely in Mr. Capers' case, and there is every reason to believe that it was the tonic qualities of Peruna, added to the laxative qualities, that procured this very desirable result.

Pasted Paragraphs.

Reminders.

Old October oft reminds us, As we don our thick apparel, That the clothes we left behind us Make us look less like a barrel. —Painesville Telegraph-Republican, Comes November to remind us, With an atmosphere that's murky, That we soon will have to find us Scads enough to buy a turkey. —Youngstown Telegram.

Comes December to remind us That this Christmas, when we trusted We'd have cash to spend, will find us As it has aforetime—busted! —House Post. Comes the New Year to remind us— 'Tis a yearly institution— That we break and leave behind us Many a good old resolution. —Commercial Appeal.

By attacking Carranza Gen. Villa broke through the right wing and reached the first page with negligible losses.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The South Carolina Legislature is in extra session, but Gov. Blease has not yet recommended the abolishment of the late primary.—Knoxville Sentinel.

The country will heartily echo the president's hope that no extra sessions of Congress may be necessary. —Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Of course the soldiers deserve praise, but going to war is the only way some of them have to get away from home cooking.—Dallas News.

The kaiser thought he had a monopoly of war and is outraged to find that competition is still keen—perhaps he would now submit his case to the court.—Florida Times-Union.

In these days of such unpronounceables as Pryzems, Szczucyn, etc., the reading public receives any references to the Island of Yap.—Chattanooga News.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the
Signature of *Pat H. Fletcher*

Salvation Army Workers.

Envoy and Mrs. H. Vallier, of the Salvation Army, have come from Nashville, where they have been for some time, and will open a mission post here. They will hold services on the street and their work will be to lift up the fallen and reach the unchurched with gospel services. They expect to remain here indefinitely.

In the Day of the Wireless. "Confound it, this is the third time you've told me the wireless was busy!" "Yes, sir." "Who is holding it?" "Mrs. Gabbie, sir. She's having her usual Monday morning visit with Mrs. Giggie, in Paris, sir."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER HONORED IN BALTIMORE CITY

Honor Francis Scott Key at Big Centennial.

"OLD GLORY" 100 YEARS OLD

September 12, 1814, Marked Opening of Three-Day Engagement in the War Which Gave Nation Most Stirring Anthem.

Baltimore, Md.—Baltimore opened wide her gates to guests from all over the United States when the national Star-Spangled Banner centennial was opened there for a week's duration. Sunday, September 6, was designated as patriots' day, and was featured by a music festival by a massed orchestra and a chorus of 5,000 voices. September 7 was featured as industrial day with a parade of 500 floats. The middle states regatta was rowed on that day.

Francis Scott Key day, on September 8, was observed with a floral automobile parade, a reception on battleships in the harbor, a night carnival and tournament and colonial lawn fetes. On September 10, fraternal day, a parade of 60,000 fraternal men in line, accompanied by 50 bands and 60 floats, was followed in the evening by a fraternal ball.

September 11 was celebrated as army and navy day. In the evening there was a military ball to the president, the cabinet, state governors and other distinguished guests. September 12, Star-Spangled Banner day, saw the original flag of Stars and Stripes borne through the city to Fort McHenry.



Francis Scott Key.

Henry, the escort consisting of President Wilson, state governors and a picked guard of 100 men from each of the states of the union in 1814.

President Wilson addressed the guests at the dedication of Fort McHenry as a city park. But perhaps greatest of all spectacles was the formation of a living Star-Spangled Banner by 10,000 school children, who sang the national anthem to the accompaniment of massed bands numbering 1,500 musicians. The final day was peace day, when universal peace was the theme in all Baltimore churches.

The summer of 1814 was not a bright one for the arms of the United States. On land it was marked by constant defeat, culminating in the burning of Washington August 23. But the end of that summer, nevertheless, witnessed a glorious event, celebrated in deathless verse wrung from the heart of a burning patriot, who had witnessed the night bombardment of the fortress which protected his native shores and knew not until morning whether the brave little fort had successfully withstood the assault or not.

There was no telegraph in 1814, few and sparse means of communication, but after the skirmish of August 23, sometimes called "battle" of Bladensburg, a little Maryland town, six miles from Washington, where about three thousand raw militia, mostly farmers, were quickly routed by the trained veterans of Gen. Robert Ross, the British commander, the air about Baltimore was alive with news and rumors of disaster.

The British fleet, which had left Bermuda a month before, was sailing along the Chesapeake bay and its tributary rivers, burning and destroying; Washington was in ruins, owing to a disgraceful act of vandalism perpetrated mainly through the agency of Admiral George Cockburn, who afterwards conveyed Napoleon to St. Helena.

Baltimore seemed irretrievably doomed. In its defense it could only marshal a "bone guard," principally consisting of boys and old men of Baltimore, a few country companies of militia, hastily recruited from surrounding Maryland towns and from York and Hanover in Pennsylvania, and about one thousand real soldiers spared to the defense of the city, in all about ten thousand men, under the

command of Gen. Samuel Smith, a Revolutionary veteran, and General Strickler, the former as commander-in-chief of the defense of the city and the latter an active head of the defensive operations.

To aid in these operations of defense was Fort McHenry, at the mouth of the Patapsco river, just outside of the city, by no means a formidable fortress. It was not bomb-proof, and its armament, even for that day, was woefully inadequate. On the opposite side of the river earthworks had been hastily thrown up under the direction of General Smith, and behind these were mounted 100 small cannon. This was at a place then known as "Hampstead Hill," and it still bears that name, although it is included in what is now Patterson park, one of Baltimore's pleasure grounds. Guns were also posted at North Point, some distance away, and at Lazaretto Point, directly opposite Fort McHenry.

To the hurried erecting of these fortifications practically the entire population of Baltimore—men, women and children—devoted itself as soon as it was learned that the British purposed an attack upon the city.

On September 11 the dread news that the enemy's fleet was off the harbor was made known. This fleet consisted of 50 ships, an extremely powerful armada for that day, carrying 9,000 veteran troops.

Troops were landed from the fleet on Monday, September 12, and on that day began the first fight, known as "the battle of North Point." For the number of men engaged, it was an exceedingly sanguinary affair. It began by an untoward happening to the British and ended with the Americans in possession of the field, after a hot fight of doubtful issue.

riding at the head of his troops, General Ross was the first man to fall. A few American skirmishers posted along the line of march of the British saw their approach. Tradition has it that two young sharpshooters, Daniel Wells and Henry C. McCormac, selected General Ross as their target in the hope of halting the British advance, and fired at him with unerring aim. These two boys, respectively eighteen and nineteen years old, were secreted in a clump of bushes and immediately after they had mortally wounded the British commander, they were killed, as they were certain to be, by a tremendous volley fired into their shelter. A monument to those two lads stands today in Alquith square, at the conjunction of Gay, Monument and Alquith streets, in the city of Baltimore, being one of the several structures of the kind which gave it the name of the "Monumental city."

But this disaster only meant a temporary check to the British. Under the direction of Admiral Cockburn and Colonel Brooke, they continued to advance, and in the early afternoon began the real battle of North Point. The Americans were short of ammunition, but determinedly poured a fire of shot, slugs, old nails and scrap iron into their foes. Fearful execution was done during the hour and a half of this fight's duration, after which General Strickler fell back in good order to his base, near Hampstead Hill. The American loss was 150 killed and the British 600.

A heavy rainstorm halted further fighting for the day, and at night, leaving their campfires burning, the British withdrew to the cover of their ships, defeated in their attempt to carry the defending works, and trusting to their fleet to reduce Fort McHenry and thus give them an easier entrance into the city.

And in the meantime what of the fort? During the day of the battle of North Point it was idle. Its defenders, under the intrepid Major George Armistead, awaiting the inevitable attack, it came the next morning.

In order to prevent the passage of the British fleet into the mouth of the river and thus render it able directly to bombard Baltimore, a line of



View of Old Fort McHenry.

hulks was sunk across the river. This acted as an effectual barrier and the bombardment of the ships was from off the mouth of the stream.

The British ships had better offensive weapons than the fort. Their cannon carried farther and sent a veritable rain of bombs and shot into the fort all that day and the following night.

Major Armistead at first replied sturdily, but he found that his cannon had not sufficient range to reach the enemy's ships. Wisely, then, he held his fire and awaited events.

As a hostile vessel crept closer to the fort the defenders' fire drove it off. One ship was quickly disabled and towed out of range by smaller boats. The fort, although suffering little damage, was sturdily holding its own.

Admiral Cockburn, in charge of the fleet, determined upon an assault, and to this end sent a storming party of 1,200 picked men in small boats to

the ramparts of the fort. The intense darkness of the night aided this project, but as the party was about to land it was discovered. A terrible fire came from the fort, and although the British behaved with great valor, they were beaten off, two of their vessels were sunk and many men were killed.

This storming attempt was not repeated, although the bombardment continued, not ceasing until seven o'clock in the morning of the fourteenth, after a night of fire and terror in which 1,800 shells were thrown into the fort by its assailants. But the attack was frustrated, and, daunted by their heavy losses, the stern resistance they had encountered and the death of their general, the British drew off and the fleet, with the army aboard, sailed away.

It was a great victory, more important than it would have been from its direct effect, for it heartened Americans cast down by a succession of land defeats.

Still greater, however, was this victory, for its horrors were the birth pangs of a song which has since stirred Americans for a hundred years. During the bombardment of Fort Mc-

Henry, Francis Scott Key, lawyer-soldier-poet, wrote "The Star-Spangled Banner," actually, if not officially, the national anthem.

After the fight at Bladensburg, the British fleet had made its way down the Potomac river and up Chesapeake bay. Landings of troops were frequent and these often burned homes on the countryside. During one of these forays an aged physician, Dr. William Beanes of Upper Marlboro, Maryland, had arrested some British soldiers for wanton destruction of his property. He was captured and held a prisoner upon the prison ship Minden.

Doctor Beanes was a close friend of the Key family, and to effect his release Francis Scott Key, under a flag of truce, made his way to the British admiral. He was courteously received and accomplished his purpose, but neither he nor Doctor Beanes was allowed to land immediately, because just at this time the bombardment of Fort McHenry had been resolved upon and it was feared that they might reveal the British plans.

During the terrible night of September 13, in all the horrors of the bombardment, Key and Doctor Beanes paced the deck of the Minden, fearful at every lull in the firing that the brave little fort had fallen. The fact that the fort's guns could not carry to the hostile ships and therefore always ceased firing until the ships came within range, lent apparent corroboration to their fears.

Morning broke, a fair, bright September morning, and in the soft haze the blushing sun revealed the great flag which had been especially made for the fortress by Mrs. Mary Patterson of Baltimore in her home at 60 Albemarle street, in a house which still stands. Key's joy was boundless. The words of the first stanza of his glorious song of freedom formed themselves in his mind. He and his compatriots were released a few hours afterward, and in a small boat, on their way to Baltimore, the song was written.

It was found to fit perfectly to a then popular English tune, "Anacreon in Heaven." The poem was finished that night—September 14, 1814. The next morning it was printed, and that evening, September 15, it was sung with rejoicing in all the taverns and public places in Baltimore, for by that time the British fleet had sailed away and the city was safe.

The city of Baltimore, which was saved from an enemy a century ago, near which Francis Scott Key was born in 1770, and where he died in 1843, honored by a nation, has devoted a week to celebration of its deliverance which culminated September 14, a hundred years from the day of the birth of the national anthem and of the sailing away, defeated, of the menacing fleet of the invader.

To the Coast in a Wheelbarrow.

Chicago.—Stephen Meynert, Alec Eliez and John Junosky, newspaper men, are traveling from New York to the Panama exposition in a wheelbarrow, each taking turns riding, and have reached Chicago. They started on the journey on May 7 and expect to reach their destination on May 1, 1915. The party makes its expenses by addressing meetings and writing for Hungarian newspapers.

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Anderson county drys have contested, charging the wets with bribery and intimidation. The figures gave the wets a victory by the scant margin of 46 votes. The wets in the other counties named base their actions on the alleged unconstitutionality of the county unit law as amended by the legislature. If the law is held to be valid the saloons in the affected territory must close in six weeks.

Very Modest, Too.

The following appeared a few days ago in the agony column of a London newspaper: "Of Epoch-Making Importance.—To Someone Who Is Rich.—I have a development, long desired and sought for, of enormous importance, value, saving, and benefit to the nation and individually. It will enable the country to save probably £100,000,000 annually, whilst it will yield some millions of pounds profits to us. I desire Someone who is Rich to provide about £25,000 for working capital to enable the results to be achieved, for a share of the profits. The advertiser is an able, experienced business man, forty years of age and unmarried, and, therefore, can give his whole time to the matter. This is not a speculation, but a clear business proposition, the result of years of work."

She Knows What She Meant.

Little Mary had just returned from an afternoon party. "Oh, mamma," she exclaimed, "just think, I had ice cream three times in congestion!"

Show Man Files Suit.

Suit has been filed in the Circuit Court by Wm. Hill through his attorneys, Linton & Clark, against the L. & N. R. R. Co. The petition states Hill was owner of

the operator of a tent show, and that he delivered his equipment at Franklin, Ky., to the railroad agent for immediate shipment to Hopkinsville on Sept. 28, and that the agent agreed to freight it through to Hopkinsville, to arrive not later than Sept. 29, in time for the plaintiff to put on his show at the Pennyroyal Fair. The petition further states that through the railroad's negligence, his equipment failed to arrive; he prays for compensation in the sum of \$1,153.72.

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We hear much of land exploration, of expeditions leaving day by day to place man's record in some unknown part of the world, but little is told of the exploration of the ocean bottom where the vast plains and mountain chains covered miles deep with water are being mapped and charted and are yielding to the upper world the strangest creatures of nature. Yet this work is being carried on in almost every sea of the globe, quietly and persistently, although almost unknown except to the scientific world and "those who go down to the sea in ships," says Popular Mechanics.

For years America's place in these important operations has been held by the Albatross, an iron, twin screw steamer of 1,000 tons' displacement, built for the United States fish commission in 1883 and fitted with apparatus for marine work of every description. Its equipment includes machines for ascertaining the depth of the water and character of the bottom, dredges for obtaining fish and other animals from the greatest depths, apparatus for shallow water investigations and a complete laboratory, where specimens may be identified and packed, and scientific studies carried on.

The most important work which the Albatross has done, and that for which it is best equipped, is deep sea sounding and dredging. It is by means of soundings patiently taken one by one that almost every important submerged mountain chain and peak has been plotted and that we know the materials which cover the ocean floor. In the great depths the water is just above the freezing point, no matter what its temperature at the surface. When the Albatross was in the Dutch East Indies and we were working in a temperature of 110 degrees Fahrenheit, the men who sorted out the specimens in the bottom of the dredge net were dressed in the thinnest of gauze undershirts, but wore long mittens to protect their hands and arms from the ice cold mud. This was a great comfort, too, in that blistering heat, for a cool drink could be obtained in a very few minutes by burying a bottle in the mud, no matter how hot the sun which was blazing down upon us.

By means of a register the number of feet of wire which has run out before bottom is found is indicated, and this is reported to the officer in charge. Thus at every sounding the depth of the water, its temperature and specific gravity at the bottom is compared with that at the surface, and the character of the ocean floor are learned, and the chart prepared accordingly. The deepest sounding which has yet been made by any ship was in the Pacific ocean between the Hawaiian Islands and Japan and showed a depth of six and one-half miles.

There are two styles of dredges by means of which the animals and fish of the great depths are captured—the nets which are dragged over the bottom and those trawled just below the surface. The bottom dredge consists of a pair of heavy iron running frames connected by one or two crossbars, twelve feet in length. Fastened to this frame is a cone-shaped bag 30 feet long, made of heavy web, the end of which is closed by a lashing. The dredge is hung over the starboard side of the ship on a long boom and by means of a steel cable is slowly lowered to the ocean bottom. A dial indicates the number of feet of wire out, and a pointer on a scale shows the strain, which often amounts to five or six tons, upon the cable.

As soon as the dredge has reached the bottom the ship steams ahead at about two-thirds of a mile an hour, dragging the net over the ocean floor. It remains down for an hour or so, and is then slowly lifted to the surface. The deepest haul which the Albatross has ever made was five and one-half miles, and it was 17 hours from the time the dredge was first lowered until it again appeared. The net is towed beside the ship for a few minutes, then it is hauled on board, the lashings at the bottom unfastened and the contents dropped upon a table. The ice cold mud is quickly washed away and the specimens carried to the laboratory.

It is like opening a Christmas package for a naturalist to watch the dredge come to the surface bringing unknown treasures from the hidden depths. Strange fish are found which carry incandescent lamps far in front of them to light their way in the inky blackness miles below the surface; others with phosphorescent spots along their sides which must glow like the portholes of a steamer at night; still others with their eyes upon long stalks or with no eyes at all. And, poor things, when released from the terrible pressure to which they have become accustomed, their eyes often pop out of their heads and their stomachs turn inside out.

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(By A. SMITH.)
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require horse or man labor at any time when this is needed for the cowpea crop, except possibly at the harvest time of cowpea hay.

RETURNS FROM WORK HORSES

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(By A. H. BENTON, Assistant Agriculturist, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.)

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Do you handle the horse labor on your farm so that the annual cost of keeping your horse is less than the average, or so that the number of hours worked is greater? Both methods will reduce the cost of the horse labor, but the latter offers by far the greatest opportunity.

Can you revise your cropping system so that fewer work horses will be needed, or so that the work will be more equally distributed and thus make it possible to employ them more hours each year?

Can you raise colts and thus reduce the cost of keeping your horses?

Can you arrange to use your work horses for outside work when not busy on the farm?

Can you reduce the cost of keeping each horse by feeding less feed or cheaper feed and still give a proper ration?

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HUMUS NEEDED.

The amount of water a soil will hold against gravity depends upon the type of soil. A clay soil composed of fine particles with very small spaces will retain more water than a coarser, sandier soil composed of larger particles and larger spaces. Also, the amount of humus, or decomposed organic matter, in the soil influences the water holding capacity. The more humus in the soil, the more water it will hold, providing the soil particles are of similar size.

Alfalfa Causes Scours.

Alfalfa fed too liberally to very young calves will cause scours. It is very rich feed and the amount given must be limited, especially when the calf is young and before it has a chance to adjust itself to alfalfa hay. In short, whenever there is a change made in the feeding of animals it should be done gradually or there is danger of digestive troubles.

Waste of Food.

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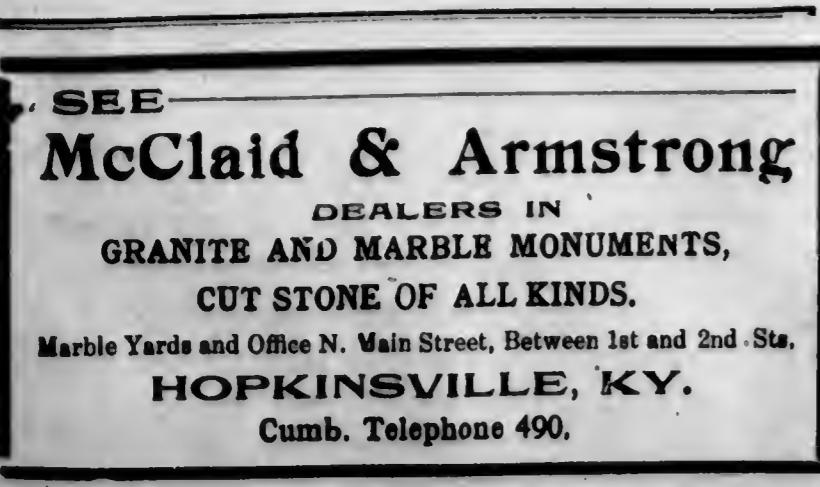
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Caught Over The Kitchen Short-
ly After Two O'clock Sun-
day Afternoon.

HAD BUT LITTLE INSURANCE.

Was One of The Ante-Bellum
Mansions of Early Hop-
kinsville.

The handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. McPherson, 203 W. Fifteenth street, was almost entirely destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The fire originated in the ell room and the building burned rapidly, but prompt work of the fire department put out the flames in time to leave the main walls standing. The roof is burned off and the house completely gutted, with but little left that can be utilized in rebuilding. Neighbors rallied quickly and much of the contents was saved. Mrs. McPherson was away on a visit to relatives in Bowling Green, but returned Sunday night.

The loss is heavy, probably amounting to \$3,000 or \$4,000. The insurance was only \$1,000 on the house and \$200 on the contents.

The house was one of the old-time, ante-bellum mansions of the town, though it had been improved and remodeled by Mr. McPherson. During the war it was occupied by the family of the late Gano Henry and was a center of gaiety in the society of that period. Later it was bought by the late Judge Jno. W. McPherson and was the childhood home of the present owner.

Mr. McPherson will rebuild as soon as possible.

Tobacco Crop Destroyed.

The crop of tobacco belonging to J. West, who resides on the Ben Myers farm, near Crofton, was destroyed by fire a few days ago. The process of curing the weed had been in progress only about two days. When the fire was discovered a fire extinguisher was brought into use and the building was saved, but nearly all of the tobacco was consumed. The loss is about \$400.

Barn and Contents Burned.

A barn filled with tobacco belonging to Carl Nixon, on Wm. Ferrell's farm, near Mt. Zoar church, burned last Friday night. The building caught while the tobacco was being cured. It is not known what the loss amounted to.

Lightning's Work.

At Trenton Friday, lightning destroyed a barn on the farm of J. C. Bonsuah, in the edge of town, burning it with its contents. The barn contained seed wheat, farming implements, lumber and hay. The loss is estimated at \$1,200, with only \$125 insurance.

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Ninth and Main or
Insurance written on wheat stored
on farm.

Ten Speeches To Be Made.

Ten speeches in favor of the Democratic candidates in Kentucky will be made next Thursday by Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan. After speaking at Falmouth, Cynthiana, Lexington, Paris, Midway, Frankfort, Christiansburg, Emelle and Lsgrange, Mr. Bryan will wind up the day in Louisville. He will speak there in the evening, the hour and place not having been decided. A special train will be provided for Mr. Bryan and will be in charge of the Democratic State Campaign Committee.

BLIND MARY has returned and can be found at Kate Lewis', on Clarksville pike, mail box No. 5. Advertisement.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. B. P. Moffat has returned to her home in Troy, Tenn., after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan M. Whitaker, near Casy.

Geo. W. Phelps and son, George, of Cincinnati, were here Sunday the guests of Mrs. E. Phelps.

Mrs. H. L. McPherson visited relatives in Bowling Green last week.

Mr. W. W. Fuqua has returned from the Eastern markets, where he spent some time buying goods for his store at Lafayette. Mr. Fuqua will move his family to Lafayette this week and will be ready for business in a very short while.

Mrs. A. M. Wallis will return tonight from a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. J. Tanner, at Memphis.

Mrs. Ed Reynolds and children, of Julien, are spending several days with Mrs. Edgar Bradshaw, near Masonville.

Ira L. Smith is attending the American Bankers' Association at Richmond, Va.

Miss Mary Nance, of Peedee, was in the city yesterday.

Councilman R. M. Wooldridge and nephew, Upshaw Wooldridge, Jr., have returned from a visit of several days to Birmingham, Ala.

Pending the restoration of his own home, Mr. H. L. McPherson will occupy a cottage at 104 West 17th St.

F. D. HANCOCK'S WILL

Probated in County Court Yes-
terday.

The will of the late Frank D. Hancock was probated in County Court yesterday. He bequeathed to his wife, Laura Allen Hancock, all of his possessions, to have and to hold as long as she lives or remains his widow. At her death or should she marry again, everything is to be sold and the proceeds, after erecting suitable monuments, are to be divided equally among his children. A small bequest is also made to his grandson, James E. Hancock, Jr. The will was written June 13, 1914.

INDICTMENT DISMISSED

By Marriage At The Courthouse
Yesterday Afternoon.

Richard Ladd and Miss Lillie Newton, a young couple from South Christian, were married by Judge Knight yesterday afternoon, at the court house. The ceremony stopped a prosecution against young Ladd in circuit court, and he seemed much relieved when the young lady had become his wife. She was accompanied by her father and carried her infant in her arms. The bride gave her age as 17 years and was quite pretty.

VICK'S Group and SALVE FOR ALL COLD TROUBLES

To Make a Barrel Filter.

A fine, unsoiled cloth must be used for making a filter. Other necessities are a piece of fine brass wire cloth and a coarser wire cloth, each of a size sufficient to make a partition across the barrel. The coarser wire cloth is placed under the brass wire cloth to support it, and under both light cross frame of oak, to keep the wire from sagging. These are placed about three-quarters down the barrel and securely fastened in position. Then fill in upon the wire cloth about three inches in depth of clear, sharp sand and then two inches of finely-broken charcoal without any dust. Then on the charcoal place four inches of clear, sharp sand. Fill up the barrel with water, and draw from the foot, where a faucet has been inserted.

Women's Missionary Unions.

The Women's Missionary Unions of Paducah-Muhlenberg Presbytery will meet in Westminster church today and tomorrow, October 13th and 14th. There will be addresses by several missionaries and a program of much interest is promised. All who are interested in church and missionary work are invited to attend the session.

Uncle Eben.
"De man dat wastes his time braggin'," said Uncle Eben, "is like an engine dat uses up all his steam on de whistle."

PHYSICAL CONNECTION

Of Railroads Still Receiving
Attention of The
H. B. M. A.

See regular meeting of the H. B. M. A. was held Friday night with President Cooper presiding.

Letters inquiring concerning locations for an automobile factory and a foundry were received and the matters referred to committees.

A committee was named to go before the council and press the adoption of the proposed peddlers' tax ordinance.

It was decided to make further efforts to secure physical connection between the two railroads, which it is said the I. C. favors and the L. & N. opposes. The meeting adjourned early.

ABRAHAM L. FREEDMAN

Died Sunday and Burial Will Be
In Evansville Today.

Mr. Abraham L. Freedman died Sunday at 6:30 p. m., at his home, 612 South Campbell street, in the 29th year of his age. He had been in poor health for several months and had recently returned from the west after a vain search for health. Mr. Freedman came here several years ago and has been engaged in the meat business with his brother. He was married to Miss Jessie Tanner, shortly after coming to Hopkinsville, and his young widow and two small children survive him.

The body will be taken to Evansville, his former home, for interment. Services conducted according to Jewish rites will be followed by the ritualistic burial service of the Odd Fellows, of which the deceased was a member. He was also a member of the local lodge Knights of Pythias.

Mr. Freedman had made many friends during his residence here, who appreciated his good qualities as a citizen and a business man and who deeply regret his untimely taking-off.

Bramham-Furlong.

Mr. James Goss Bramham, youngest son of the late Prof. J. G. Bramham, and a Hopkinsville boy now living in Minnesota, was married Oct. 6 to Miss Loretta Dorothy Furlong, at Austin, Minn. The wedding was a brilliant church affair, the bride being attended by her sister as matron of honor and four bridesmaids. A wedding breakfast was served to forty guests at the home of the bride's father, Hon. J. J. Furlong. The Austin Herald says of the young couple: "The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. Furlong and she has lived in Austin and vicinity all her life. She graduated from our High School in the class of 1907, and has since devoted her time to her father's household. She is lovable and charming, as well as competent and helpful. Her wedding day brought to her the good wishes of the entire city for all who know her, are her friends."

The groom has been for the past eleven years with the Hormel Packing Co., and at the present is sales manager of that company. He is a splendid type of manhood, embodying those traits which call forth the respect of his business associates and those which make him trusted and sought by friends and acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Bramham will enjoy a wedding trip to the groom's old home in Kentucky, where they will be guests of Mr. Bramham's mother, after which they will return to Austin and be at home after December first at 811 Lansing Avenue."

Yesterday's Game.

The football game between H. H. S. and Montgomery-Bell Academy, of Nashville, was in progress at press hour, and will be reported in next issue.

CHILDREN'S COLDS TREATED EXTERNALLY

Don't dose the little stomachs with injurious medicines.

VICK'S Group and SALVE

Is applied externally to the throat and asthmatic vapors which are induced by the affected parts. Relief is almost immediate. The cold is cured overnight—group in 15 minutes.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

By The Associated Charities
Will Be Held Thursday
Night.

The Associated Charities will hold its annual meeting Thursday night, in the assembly room of the Carnegie Library, for the purpose of electing officers and to receive the report of the good work done during the past year. Every person who has contributed anything to this work during the year is a member and any one else may become a member by making a donation of any sum.

All who are interested in the work are invited to attend the meeting at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night.

HUNG JURY

In Trial of Jeff McCarn, For-
merly of Nashville.

The jury in the trial of Jeff McCarn, United States district attorney for Hawaii, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon, disagreed at Honolulu, Saturday, and was discharged.

The vote stood 6 to 6 McCarn was accused by Claudius McBride, an attorney, with having attacked him May 5 in an altercation arising from a law suit.

In his defense McCarn contended that McBride struck him in the face, while his hands were held behind him by another man. At one stage of the altercation McCarn maintained that McBride placed his right hand in his hip pocket. There was a tussle and McCarn admitted that while down he endeavored to draw a revolver.

McCarn was indicted by both the territorial and the United States grand juries. The federal indictment, however, was dismissed, it being held that the government was without jurisdiction in the case.

The Tables Turned.

It was pay day at the Consolidated Coal & Lumber works, and a mine worker was returning home with his monthly envelope. He met a bad man with a pistol, who demanded his wages. The worker handed the money over. "Now," said he, "my wife will think that I've gambled or drunk; won't you shoot a hole in my coat, so that I can prove I was attacked and robbed?" "Why, certainly so," answered the robber. The worker held out his coat tail while the other punctured it with a bullet. "Another," begged the worker, and the other fired again. "Another," and there was another hole in the garment—another, and still another. "That's all the cartridges I've got," said the robber. "All the miners, with a ferocious look. "Give back that money, hand over your pistol, and whatever else you happen to have."

Awaiting Trial Here.

A man giving his name as James Paul O'Neal is in jail here, charged with tampering with the U. S. mails on an L & N. train. O'Neal was brought here from Guthrie and is being held pending the arrival of a deputy U. S. marshal, when his examining trial will come up before Commissioner Clark.

Hiram Smith Honored.

Councilman Hiram S. Smith is a delegate to the Negro Fraternal Congress to meet in Louisville today. The purpose of the Congress is to form an association of those colored people who are connected with secret orders to the end that benefits may be derived for the race.

Mammoth Peaches.

Mr. F. C. Clardy, of near Gracey, brought to this office yesterday several October peaches which are beauties. One of them measures ten and a half inches in circumference and weighs about ten ounces. The others are nearly as large.

Marking Tools With Acid.

The American Machinist recommends the following etching fluid for marking tools: Mix one part of muriatic acid, one of nitric and four parts of water. The tool is coated with wax and the design is then scratched in.

New Pope's Secretary Dead.

It is announced from Rome that the death of Cardinal Ferrata, Papal Secretary of State, will have the effect of ending for the time being the

AMUSEMENTS.

Reliable, enjoyable, clean entertainment provided by such managers as Joe Coburn and his Big Minstrel Company is always welcome to Hopkinsville patrons. Every season with everything new, with an all new programme and production he has been coming for years with all that is new and best in minstrelsy. His



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GUEST COULD NOT KICK.

"You look hungry." "Yes, I went out to dinner with Jinx today."

"And did you not have a good dinner?"

"Fine, but Jinx wanted to give me his idea of how the war was being fought and he pulled every one of my dishes across the table and used them to represent the different countries."

NUMBER THREE SPEAKS.

"So you married a widow?" "Yes."

"Does she sing the praises of her first husband?"

"No, indeed."

"You ought to be glad of that."

"Umph! I get no rest. She's always singing the praises of her second husband."

HER PRACTICAL PA.

Suitor—Your daughter, sir, is willing to trust me; why can't you?"

Her Father—"She doesn't care how much a thing costs, and I do."

THOSE DEAR GIRLS.

Maud—At the seashore this summer I had over a dozen proposals.

Ethel—How persistent a summer acquaintance can be.

HER FAILURE.

"Look out for that girl! She's fishing for compliments."

"Then she needn't think she can use me for a beau-line."

WATCHFUL WAITING.

"Has your ladyship raised your board yet?"

"No. She seems to expect me to raise it."

VICK'S